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## **ABSTRACT**

The invention concerns a model and implementation process of a conversational rational agent as a kernel of a dialogue system and/or as an element (agent) of a multiagent system including the following stages:

- definition of a conceptual architecture of a conversational rational agent,
- formal specification of the different components of this architecture and their combination permitting a formal model to be obtained,
- definition of the software architecture implementing the formal architecture,
- definition of implementation mechanisms of the formal specifications, the rational agent being
  suited both to converse with another agent or with a user of the system through any communication medium.

Figure 1.